Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 12 May 2024 until 23:59 on Monday 13 May 2024

Forecast Issued on Saturday 11 May 2024 at 14:27

Confidence: High for general theme with settled weather breaking down. Lower for shower distribution on Sunday.

Headline for Sunday 12 May 2024: Dry start with heavy, thundery showers by the afternoon.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 12 May 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms High Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Thundery showers	Thundery showers	Sunny intervals	Mist
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	30%	70%	70%	40%	<05%

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Weather: A bright and dry start with thunderstorms breaking out during the afternoon. These containing the risk of torrential rain, hail, thunder and gusty winds. Showers pushing northwards, leaving a drier evening with mist, fog and low cloud forming into the night.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 90% lowering in any heavy downpours.

Low cloud and visibility: Any localised mist and fog patches clear quickly through the morning, clouds above summits. Excellent visibility, moderate to poor in any heavy or torrential showers.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	14/22 SE	16/23 SE	13/19 SE	12/17 SE	13/19 SE	13/19 S	10/14 SW	10/13 SW	10/14 SW
300	4/12 E	5/12 E	6/12 E	8/14 E	8/17 SE	8/16 S	7/12 SW	7/13 SW	6/12 SW
Valley	4/11 E	6/14 E	6/13 E	8/14 E	8/16 SE	7/16 S	7/13 SW	7/14 SW	5/11 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	13/10	12/9	13/10	15/13	17/15	16/14	14/13	10/8	9/6
300	13/12	12/11	12/11	16/15	21/19	19/18	17/16	12/11	11/10
Valley	14/13	13/12	13/12	17/16	21/20	19/18	17/16	12/12	11/10
Freezing Level*	2300m	2300m	2200m	2400m	2600m	2700m	2600m	2100m	2200m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Take care as conditions could suddenly deteriorate with large hail, thunder and lightning as well as gusty winds within torrential downpours leading to poor visibility. UV levels moderate to high.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Fri 10 May 2024	0mm	0mm	0mm

Forecast for Monday 13 May 2024

Weather: A dry start with low cloud. Heavy and more persistent rain arriving by mid-day leading to an unsettled afternoon and evening with blustery winds. Feeling much cooler than of late.

Maximum wind: Southeasterly 20-25 mph gusting 35-40 mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 60% during the morning, dropping to 30%

Low cloud and visibility: Patches of low cloud first thing around 400-500 m, lifting for a time ahead of more widespread low cloud into the afternoon. Good visibility dropping to poor under heavier and persistent rain.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 13 Celsius rising to Plus 16 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 11 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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